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# ARK ROYAL SENT TO BOTTOM

## Governor Green Makes Official Visit To City

Inspects Both State  
Hospitals; Banquet  
In His Honor Tonight



Governor Is Here

Gov. Dwight H. Green this afternoon was visiting the state hospitals in Kankakee and Moline, this being the fifth day of a tour over the state.

At 2:30 p. m. Governor Green was to inspect the state hospital at Moline, but he was unable to do so because of a heavy rain.

At 7 o'clock Governor Green will be at the state hospital at Moline for a banquet in his honor.

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At 5 o'clock Governor Green will be at the state hospital at Moline for a banquet in his honor.

At 6 o'clock Governor Green will be at the state hospital at Moline for a banquet in his honor.

## First Meeting On Community Chest Tonight

Leaders Encouraged  
By General Interest  
In New Campaign

First general meeting in behalf of the forthcoming community chest campaign will be held at 8 o'clock this evening in the Y.W.C.A. building.

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Therefore, Russian and British sources said alarm over the lack of news was not justified.

Workers Favor It, Too

"Business and industrial leaders have voiced such a desire and, in addition, we find that the workers who are repeatedly active in all campaigns are most anxious that one big drive be held annually. In this effort we hope to reach a larger number of prospective givers, to obtain more subscriptions and larger results."

Campaign headquarters have been established in Room 513, City National bank building, where a corps of secretaries is engaged in preparation of advance details. Announcement of the campaign objective will be made within the next few days.

Among the leaders who already have pledged their support in this drive are Waldo Roth, associate general chairman; Charles Mueller, treasurer; John Willis and Ralph Francis, advance givers; chairman; Lynn Minor, chairman of establishment; George Luehrs and Albert Tetrault, governmental division; Vernon Butz, professional division; John Wheeler, industrial division; Mrs. Maurice Cooper, residential division.

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## Ambassadors' Plane Still Unheard From

Teheran, Iran, Nov. 14.—(AP)—The Soviet embassy said this evening that it still had no news of the plane in which U. S. Ambassador Laurence A. Steinhardt, Russian Ambassador Maxim Litvinoff and about a dozen others are reported missing enroute here from Kulyb-shev, Russia.

The British legation here reported that an American woman journalist, Alice Moats, and an American magazine writer, Quentin Reynolds, were among the passengers.

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## Roberta Goff And Rosella Staples Sue For Divorces

Two marriages of only two months duration were beached today when two divorce bills were filed in the office of Circuit Clerk Albert Tetrault.

Roberta A. Goff of South Sixth avenue seeks freedom from her husband Clifford, now of Centralia. They were married Sept. 30, 1938 at St. Charles, Mo., and separated Nov. 20 of the same year. He is charged with desertion. The plaintiff, represented by Attorney Frank Curran, wants to resume her maiden name of Roberta Martin.

Rosella Staples of Kankakee asks a divorce from her husband Eugene to whom she was married last Aug. 4 at Allegan, Mich. They separated Oct. 4 and she charges him with extreme cruelty, citing instances on Sept. 1 and Oct. 3 when he is accused of striking her, causing injury. She also asks for the return of her maiden name, Rosella Barker. Her attorney is Victor Lauridsen.

Farmer Gets  
Injunction To  
Harvest Crop

A temporary injunction was granted today in the court of Circuit Judge Luther Bratton to, enable Roy Townsend, farmer residing two miles north of St. Anne, to harvest his crop on the land which he tenants for Al Bloom, four miles east of that village.

Townsend, represented by Attorney Francis J. Householder, asserted in his complaint that he signed a lease with Bloom last March 1 to farm his 157 acres on a share-and-share-alike basis. He harvested the oats but when it came time to harvest soybeans and corn, the defendant was accused of "maliciously and unlawfully" refusing to permit his tenant to go onto the land.

The bill further states that Bloom threatened to molest, intimidate and inflict bodily injury to Townsend and asks that the injunction restraining Bloom from interfering with Townsend or any of his employees be made permanent.

Plan 3rd Cub Scout  
Pack In Kankakee

Plans are under way at the First Methodist church for formation of a third Cub scout pack in Kankakee for boys of pre-scout age.

Sixty-one parents of boys aged 9 through 11 have received invitations to attend a three-meeting training course to be conducted the next three Monday evenings at 7:15 p. m. in the church. It is necessary for parents of prospective cubs to attend these meetings in order to organize a cub pack.

All parents having boys aged 9 to 12 are invited to sit in on these training meetings. Cub leaders and den mothers of existing packs also are encouraged to attend.

Hit And Run  
Driver Caught  
After Crash

Paul Purdy of LaPorte, Ind., was arrested at 11:30 p. m. today after a 1936 Buick sedan was found crashed and burned on a highway near Gilbert Bowen's on a hit-and-run driver.

He was said to have backed into the auto of Paul Saindon of Moline in the 300 block on South East avenue and driven off without reporting. Purdy posted \$25 bond for a hearing today in police court.

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Authorities checked the auto registration and found that its motor and state license numbers didn't coincide with state records. The car is registered in the name of Eddie Lyons of Champaign but no report has been made of it being stolen. The Negro who left the machine here told the attendant his name was Clyde Anderson.

## Lowe Concern Is Largest In Nation

Rotarians Visit  
Hybrid Corn Plant  
At Aroma Park

Members of the Rotary club dined in Lawrence Lowe's seed corn plant at Aroma Park on Thursday noon and afterwards inspected what is now the largest privately owned seed corn company in the entire industry.

In five years, Rotarian Lowe has built up his hybrid seed breeding industry to a point where production and sales have doubled each succeeding year. During this past year, 25,000 bushels of hybrid seed were sold through 600 dealers in Illinois, Iowa and Indiana and sections of other midwestern states.

Next year the firm expects to sell more than 40,000 bushels. The Lowe seed company has 20 full time employees and during peak months, has more than 80 full and part-time workers.

Started in School

Lowe, who supervises production of the seed, is a graduate of the agricultural college at the University of Illinois. He started his hybrid corn improvement program while still attending school and has patiently continued it ever since.

Because of his practical farming viewpoint, he has bred his hybrids not only for consistently high yields but also for feeding quality, ease of husking and resistance to diseases, insects and adverse weather. He is now handling 17 hybrids, each of which has 16 grades, or a total of 272.

Robert Wolfe of Princeton, who directs sales of the organization, illustrated the size of the seed corn market by showing that in the three-I states—Illinois, Iowa and Indiana—\$12,000,000 will be spent for 2,000,000 bushels of hybrid seed next year.

Hybrids Increasing

Last year in this state, 85 per cent of the corn planted was hybrid. In Indiana, the percentage was 80; in Iowa, 95 per cent. The cost of the seed runs about 2 to 3 per cent of the yield.

The Lowe Seed company sponsors a corn observation and growing contest among farm boys and girls, awarding a number of prizes, including a scholarship to state agricultural colleges. More than 100 entries have been received in this year's contest to date.

Lowe was introduced by President Lynn Minor. Guests yesterday included Wayne Dyer, Burton Hertz, A. Rossi of Braidwood, Bert Fitz Gerald, Lloyd Rich, T. H. Roth, J. A. Montellius and George Cook, Piper City.

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Morris, Nov. 14.—(RN Special)—William G. Stratton Jr., of Morris, congressman-at-large, has been endorsed by the Grundy County Republican central committee to run as state treasurer in the primary next spring.

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Louis Ravelli, 20, of Niles, Mich., was arrested Thursday afternoon by Sgt. Fred Eichell, military police officer, for desertion from the regular army at Fort Sheridan.

He admitted being absent from the casual detachment at that post since the latter part of August and has been living and working under an assumed name—Gerald Gregory. For the past month he has been employed as an attendant at a Sells Oil company station at 327 South Schuyler avenue, Bradley.

Ravelli was removed to the county jail and was to be taken under guard to Chanute field today for court martial.

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## Famous Aircraft Carrier Victim Of Axis Torpedo

British Warship Attacked  
East Of Gibraltar Late  
Thursday And Goes Down  
Early This Morning

La Linea, Spain, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Thirty-two men are known to have been killed and more than 60 injured in the loss of the British aircraft carrier Ark Royal, according to reports reaching this border town just opposite Gibraltar tonight.

These reports, from Gibraltar, said the big warship went down about 45 miles east of Gibraltar.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
London, Nov. 14.—The three-year-old, \$10,000,000 aircraft carrier Ark Royal was torpedoed late yesterday east of Gibraltar, probably by an Italian submarine, and sank early today despite a desperate effort to bring the listing giant safely to port.

She carried down with her an undisclosed number of her crew of about 1,600 men who remained aboard in the struggle to save the ship.

"A very large number of the ship's company was taken off," the admiral said, and indications were that personnel losses were "fortunately not heavy."

The story of the sinking, pieced together from the admiral's brief announcement and word in authoritative quarters was that the Ark Royal was not in action when she was torpedoed and that she was enroute to Gibraltar.

Losses Badly and Goes Down

Many of the company remained aboard after the hit or hits and helped to keep the Ark Royal afloat, in tow, during the hours of darkness as she listed further and further. Many worked to the very end. She finally rolled under the sea short of Gibraltar and safety.

The loss was related fulfillment of many a German claim, since the beginning of the war, that the carrier had been sunk.

The concise communique said that the 22,000-ton floating airfield sank somewhere on some undisclosed date while in tow after having been torpedoed.

She was the third aircraft carrier lost by Britain in the war and the newest of them all.

Blow to British Navy

Loss of the Ark Royal was the greatest single blow suffered by the British navy since the avenged sinking of the battle cruiser, Hood, by the German battleship, Bismarck, between Greenland and Iceland last May 24.

Informed sources said the Ark Royal probably was sunk within the past few days.

The loss of the Ark Royal left the British, however, with more aircraft carriers than they had at the start of the conflict—seven in commission and two scheduled for completion in 1942, as indicated by the naval

## Los Angeles Is Shaken By A Violent Quake

No Casualties But Extensive  
Damage Reported  
In Suburban Areas

Los Angeles, Nov. 14.—(AP)—A violent earthquake, the most severe in eight years, rocked the metropolitan area today, causing an estimated \$10,000,000 damage in one suburban community alone.

William H. Stanger, superintendent of the Torrance water department, put the million dollar figure on that city's losses.

Several gasoline and oil tanks and pipe lines burst, creating a fire hazard. Police reported no deaths or injuries.

Guests fled the 30-room two-story Hotel Torrance in suburban Torrance as the tremor showered bricks into the street. Fire inspectors condemned the building and ordered the guests to find lodgings elsewhere. They said a few other buildings would be condemned and ordered torn down.

Hesitate to Return Home

The quake occurred at 12:42 a. m. (2:42 a. m., est) and lasted from a few seconds to 18 or 20 in Torrance, Gardena and Long Beach, the hardest hit areas.

Men, women and children huddled in automobiles for warmth as they hesitated to return to their homes until they felt it would be safe.

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Parents Fight For  
Child's Custody

A contest yesterday afternoon before Circuit Judge Luther B. Bratton as to the custody of 7-year-old Steve Serve, now living in Sunnyside, was not finished and was continued until Nov. 29 for further evidence.

The contest was between Steve Serve, Sunnyside, the boy's father, and Mrs. Rose Serve, Chicago, the mother. The couple was divorced here several years ago.

The divorce decree gave custody of the boy to the mother but for the past two months he has been living with the father who claims he has a better home and better care here.

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Kahoka, Missouri Becomes New  
Gretna Green Of Middle West

Kahoka, Mo., Nov. 14.—(AP)—Illinois and Iowa laws requiring a waiting period between the issuance of a marriage license and the performance of the wedding ceremony have turned this village of 1800 inhabitants into a Gretna Green of the middle west.



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## Thanksgiving Turkey Will Be Little Higher

Geese And Ducks Still Considered Reasonably Priced

By FRANKLIN MILLIN  
Chicago, Nov. 14.—(UP)—The first of the nation's dual Thanksgiving days comes next week and it finds turkey prices the highest in 34 years.  
A little quiet research in the rapidly expanding market for dressed turkeys—birds already on their way to retail counters for next week's big trade—shows prices 1 to 2 cents a pound higher than a week ago. Wholesale prices ranged from 20 to 23 cents a pound; the latter on choice birds. A year ago, prices were from 13 to 24 cents.

Young turkeys sold as low as 21¢ for best quality just before Thanksgiving, but that was the cheapest they have been in recent years. In 1933 they went up to 30 and 31 cents and were 1¢ comparable to the current market.

Geese and ducks still were considered reasonably priced, geese were quoted at 11 to 17 cents a pound, ranging to 14 to 16 a year ago, and ducks 12 to 18, or only slightly above last year's quotations. The movement of turkeys to market has been slow. Quality is very good. The 41 class birds were fattened on ample supplies of feed. Weights are running heavy, as was the case last year. The 1941 crop is estimated only slightly higher than last year, or around 230,000,000 head, larger than 1939, but a year ago an unexpected crop snafu just before Thanksgiving cut the lives of about a million birds.

## 26 Leave Tuesday From Watseka For Army Induction

Watseka, Nov. 14.—(UP)—Twenty-six Iroquois county young men, 13 from each of the two local boards are scheduled to leave here at 4:30 a. m. next Wednesday by train for Chicago for induction into the army. The men selected will report at their respective boards at 9 a. m. the preceding day. On Wednesday they will meet at Wood's cafe here at 8 a. m.

Those who are to meet at Board 1 in the courthouse are: Walter Edwin Krohn, of Clinton; Arthur Lloyd Gregerson of Ashkum; Francis Wayne Overaker of Watseka; Gerald Joseph Rabalais of Clinton; Ralph Hunter Hatfield of Ashkum; Vernon Harold Means of Villa Grove; Bernard Peter Corne of Clinton; Donald Hendricks of Watseka; Clarence Albert Johnson of Ashkum; Wilbur Irvin Geyer of Donawana; Wilfred Clarence Means of Ashkum; Ross Leroy Horner of Watseka.

Alternates from Board 1 are: Arthur Emmery Belanger of St. Anne and Donald Goller of Onarga.

Those who are to meet at Board 3 in the Kay building at 2 p. m. Tuesday include: Robert Louis Gussman of Cissna Park; Ray Collins Ludden of Cissna Park; Charles Harvey Outbott of Cissna Park; Arnold Alvin Hasselberg of Milford; Donald Eugene Truby of Milford.

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## Sheldon Couple Feted By Legion On 50th Anniversary

Sheldon, Nov. 14.—(UP)—The American Legion and auxiliary held a co-operative supper in Legion hall last night to honor Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grubel who are to observe their golden wedding anniversary Nov. 20. Mrs. Grubel is a charter member of the auxiliary. Mrs. Ora Smalley and Mrs. Glen Bennett were the other two charter members present.

Mrs. Grubel was presented with a corsage and Mr. Grubel with a buttonhole of yellow chrysanthemums. The honored guests were seated at a special table where appointments were carried out for a golden wedding. The floral centerpiece was of yellow chrysanthemums.

Mrs. William Dismay, president of the auxiliary, extended greetings. The auxiliary, a poem suitable for Armistice day and announced the Legion and auxiliary would have a New Year's eve party in Legion hall for members and their families. The Junior auxiliary girls, accompanied at the piano by Miss Loretta Weismann, sang. The Rev. David O'Leary of the Presbyterian church gave the opening prayer and benediction. Talks were given by Mr. and Mrs. Grubel and the post commander.

**Happy Again**  
Once parted, but now reconciled again, Jack Dempsey and his wife, the former Hannah Williams, appear very happy as they dance together in New York's Stork club.

Orville Henry Ennen of Buckley, Avery Green Restox of Paxton, Edwin August Bruting of Chicago, Meine William Henry Lucht of Milford, John Glase Nebitt of Hooperville, Charles Charles of Chicago, Elmer Raymond Nienmuller of Buckley, Melvin Lee Thomas of Milford.

Alternates from Board 2 are: Louis George Rosenboom of Crescent City, John Franklin Williamson of Loda and Gordon Hills Farney of Hooperville.

**Notes**  
Mrs. Beale Swank entertained Monday evening at a stork shower for Mrs. Thora Wood.

Miss Marcella and Catherine Gannon entertained about 25 guests at breakfast at the Buckley cabin Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ruth Fay entertained a group at bridge Monday night.

Mrs. Edith Morrell has moved from St. Edmund rectory to 805 South Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Selling and son Raymond have returned from a visit with their son at Woodstock.

Miss Ann Tesch was hostess to her bridge club Thursday night.

Mrs. Loretta Collins entertained the Duplicate Contract bridge club Wednesday night.

**PREPARE FOR WAR**  
Suva, Fiji.—(UP)—Organization for civilian first aid is under way in this south Pacific outpost, and is directed by D. V. W. T. McCusky, director of the Red Cross chapter. The local residents have taken the first aid ambulance course. They will be available to assist doctors in charge of posts already established in the event of an emergency. An ambulance transport unit has been organized from volunteers who own motor vehicles.

To manufacture a modern low-priced passenger automobile entirely by hand would entail a cost of more than \$18,000.

## Iroquois County Health Council Meets At Ashkum

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## Germans Driven Out Of Twenty Soviet Villages

Red Troops Score Break Through Nazi Siege Ring Outside Of Leningrad

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# Axis Capitals Bitter Over Congress' Action

## Say Next Few Days Will Show Dangerous Path America Has Taken

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Bitter reaction exploded in the capitals of the axis alliance today over rendition of the United States neutrality act, with the Germans declaring bluntly that the next few days would show what a dangerous path the American congress had taken.

In Rome, fascist quarters voiced a similar theme, asserting that great action in permitting U. S. ships to enter the blockade zone soon would result in attacks on those vessels.

In Tokyo, Japan's attitude was expressed in a statement which declared that the revision of the neutrality act was not only in the Atlantic but in the Pacific and that the stage was set for a shooting war.

Germany's Hitler shouted: "Authorized Berlin sources charged President Roosevelt and Secretary of State Cordell Hull with duping Congress by a false representation of facts and said that in any case Germany would shoot at American ships carrying munitions."

The action was hailed by an authoritative British source with the "much gratification" which the press and public greeted the congressional action with jubilation.

The Daily Express put this in a banner headline, in letters big enough for a major war victory: "This referred specifically to the opening of British shipping to American merchant ships. How soon and how fast American vessels loaded with lend-lease material would reach Britain immediately became a subject of speculation."

The Express suggested that the first ships would arrive from Iceland, which formerly was the last stop for U. S. vessels en route to Europe, while other sources thought that among the first arrivals might be the same American-owned ships which have been coming to England regularly under Panamanian registry.

Expect Warship Convoy  
These ships already are loaded and routed for England, it was said, and need only to change their registry in order for them to hoist the Stars and Stripes again.

All British sources confidently expected that American merchant vessels would be the newly armed supply ships directly into British harbors, and thus the neutrality revision was regarded as important not only in supplementing Britain's shipping and protective patrols but also in releasing British merchantmen and warships for other urgent tasks.

In Ottawa, Canada's Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King hailed it as "the handiwork of the 1933 spelling of doom of the axis powers."

# Governor Green—

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Kankakee state hospital.  
Gov. Green, who has been greatly interested in the state institutions, will be making his first visit to the local hospitals. He has been especially concerned with the type of care given inmates and the general conditions of institutions.

He has expressed great interest in the new \$200,000 mental hospital designed to supplant the present system of wards at the Kankakee institution, site of a typhoid epidemic during the previous state epidemic.

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# Famous Aircraft—

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# Two Near Completion

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Jeanette Carter, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armand Carter, 270 North Rosewood avenue, who has been confined to her bed this week with tonsillitis, is reported somewhat improved.

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# Armistice Day Paraders Return To Camp Forrest

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 14 (UP)—Separate columns of the 2nd division, composed of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 146th, 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## Neutrality Act Bans Scratched From The Books

Historic Session Of The House Thursday Allows Ships In Combat Zones

By DONALD A. YOUNG  
Washington, Nov. 14.—(AP)—American merchantmen regained complete freedom of the seas today by act of congress, and with it the right to mount guns and shoot if attacked. The house finished the legislative job in a suspense-packed, historic session yesterday by scrapping the neutrality act amendments which since 1939 have prohibited American shipping from entering the combat zones or belligerent harbors.

The vote was 212 to 194—no tremendous majority but victory to the administration which had been haunted by visions of a photo finish where two or three votes could mean defeat.

The final roll call climaxed the hardest battle yet waged to uphold President Roosevelt's hand in a matter affecting foreign policy. And it came after the tense house heard a dramatic, last-minute appeal from the President.

**Ends All Restrictions**  
By its vote the house joined the senate in broadening the original house ship-arming bill to end all neutrality act restrictions on the movement of vessels flying the stars and stripes.

Just as soon as the legislation was approved, Speaker Rayburn quickly affixed his signature, and the strokes of his pen began the official scratching of the neutrality act bans from the statute books.

There remained the formality of adding the signature of Vice President Wallace before the measure could go to the White House for the final name: Franklin D. Roosevelt. However, an objection by Senator McNary (R-Ore.), the minority leader, made it necessary for Wallace to wait until the senate reconvenes Monday before signing.

Nevertheless, there was abundant evidence that the technicality of the brief, three-day delay would not prevent the administration from putting the legislation into speedy effect.

**Arming Under Way**  
On the contrary, reports were current that the preliminary work for the arming of cargo vessels may already be under way. The navy department said merely that plans were ready to proceed at once.

Secretary Knox declared that the vote meant that both "ships and the men will be available to deliver defense aid and materials" in such quantity and at such places as to aid materially those who oppose "Hitler and his attempted domination of the world."

President Roosevelt sent his personal thanks to Rayburn and Democratic Floor Leader McCormack of

## Defense Bond Quiz

Q What is the treasury's underlying thought in avoiding a pressure campaign to sell defense savings bonds and stamps?  
A The belief that the American public is anxious to aid to the limit in defense of the nation, and also wants to save money for future needs, especially since such savings will help to keep down the cost of living.

Q Should I buy defense savings stamps at retail stores rather than at post offices and banks?

A Buy stamps wherever it is most convenient. The important thing is to purchase stamps as often as you can, and exchange the completed stamp album for a defense savings bond.

Note.—To buy defense bonds and stamps, go to the nearest post office, bank, or saving and loan association; or write to the treasurer of the United States, Washington, D. C. Also stamps are now on sale at retail stores.

Massachusetts for their victory in the strenuous battle.  
Secretary Hull, whose services had been enlisted to win over fence-straddling members when it looked as though the legislation might be defeated, hailed the house's action as "an exceedingly wise and timely decision."

But a much different appraisal came from Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.), one of the administration's bitterest critics. "Can't take us into war with that kind of a vote behind him," Wheeler asserted.

"If he can't get more than a majority of 18 votes after exerting all the pressure he did, he had better go slowly because many of those who voted with him are not in favor of getting this country into war."

**London Pleased**  
In London Ambassador Winant brought a burst of loud cheers when he announced the house's action to the British public generally were gratified at the news, but there was disappointment in some quarters by the small margin of victory.

Canada's Prime Minister MacKenzie King called neutrality revision "the handwriting on the wall spelling the doom of the axis powers."

Commenting at Ottawa, he said "it means immediate, increased, effective assistance to countries resisting aggression."

To the average German the small majority was an indication of the lack of a popular front. The Berlin press and radio stressed the opposition arguments, and informed quarters said authorized German reaction probably would be along the familiar line that "Roosevelt is driving his people into war."

At the Tokyo end of the axis, one newspaper featured a dispatch which said that the President's foreign policy had been dealt a great blow by the defection of some Democrats who voted against the bill.

Domestically, Wendell L. Willkie

blamed the close vote in part on "the administration's negligence and muddling in the solution of our industrial labor relations problem." He called for an immediate correction of those errors "which caused so many members of congress to vote to endanger our foreign policy upon which depends the hope of survival of freedom."

**How Illinois Voted**  
Washington, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Eight Illinois congressmen voted for and 18 against elimination of neutrality act restrictions on United States cargo vessels yesterday. Here is the roll call:

Democrats for: Arnold, Barnes, Kocalkowski, McKeough, Masiejewski, Mitchell, Sabath, Schuetz, Dirksen, Hennrich, Howell, Johnson, Mason, Paddock, Reed, Stratton, Sumner, Wheat.

Republicans for: None.  
Democrats against: Beam, Kelly, Dicksen, Chipperfield, Day, Dewey, Bishop, Hennrich, Howell, Johnson, Mason, Paddock, Reed, Stratton, Sumner, Wheat.

**Next Few Days Will Show**  
Berlin, Nov. 14.—(AP)—Authorized German sources declared today that congress voted on the basis of a false presentation of facts by President Roosevelt and Secretary Hull in revising the United States neutrality act.

They expressed satisfaction that the congressional majority did not reach one-half of the entire house.

The next few days will show what a dangerous path congress has trodden, they added.

Germany simply must shoot in case American vessels carry munitions, they concluded.

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## Momence Guild To Send Gifts To Boys In Service

Officers of the Guild of St. Elizabeth at Momence held the first of a series of card parties Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. M. and Mrs. V. A. Parrish. Bridge honors were won by Mrs. E. J. Reising and 500 honors by Fred Webber. High score at bistro was won by Frank Benoit.

The proceeds will be used to send a Christmas remembrance to each of the boys who are in service who are members of St. Patrick church. A committee served lunch.

**Women Meet**  
The Willing Workers class of the Baptist church met Wednesday. Mrs. Joe Smith led devotionals. The hostesses—Mrs. Charles Hanson, Mrs. John Anstrom, Mrs. Albert Holmberg and Mrs. Carl Smedlund—served lunch.

**Inter-Se Club**  
Mrs. Larry Beasley entertained the Inter-Se club. Bridge prizes were won by Mrs. Lester Cronwell and Mrs. Frank Mullady. Mrs. August Hennerburg won floating prize. Mrs. Jane Wheeler was a guest.

**Bridge Club**  
Mrs. Virgil Prairie was hostess to the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club. Prizes were won by Mrs. Maynard Liberty and Mrs. Chris Willie.

## Exline Social Club

The Exline Social club was entertained Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Alfred Yonka at Kankakee. Games were played and prizes awarded. The honored guest, Mrs. John Anderson, was showered with gifts. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. L. W. Yonka was a guest.

## Notes

Mrs. and Mrs. William Lyne have purchased the Elmer Poulsen property at 617 West River street. Mr. and Mrs. Poulsen have purchased a cottage at the Buckman resort south-west of town.

Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Held attended the funeral of his mother Mrs. Anna Held of Houston, Texas at Rose Hill cemetery in Evanston on Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Berry of Houston, Texas is a guest of Mrs. Arthur Held and Mrs. E. G. Gibson.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Petro and children and Jack and Frank O'Brien spent Thursday evening at Crown Point helping Ivan O'Brien celebrate his birthday. Mr. O'Brien, who has been seriously ill several weeks, is recovering.

Miss Shirley Maass of Grant Park spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Victor Kile.

The Lester Taylor family spent Sunday at Aurora.

The Mt. Airy club will meet with Mrs. Vera Austin next Tuesday to complete plans for a bazaar and

cooked food sale Nov. 29 at the Fieleske store.

Mrs. Victor Kile and son Dale spent Wednesday at Grant Park with her mother Mrs. Albert Maass.

The Amity club met recently with Mrs. Lester Taylor. The time was spent with needlework and lunch was served.

Mrs. and Mrs. Clarence Jones and son Lowell spent the week-end in Chicago and Chicago Heights.

C. T. Jensen and sister Matie of Kankakee spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thyfault.

Myron Langdoe was taken to St. Mary hospital Saturday for an emergency appendectomy.

Mrs. Arcade Langdoe and son Sherwood and daughter Margaret of Chicago were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Langdoe.

Mrs. Orrin Heitz of Louisville, Ky., and daughter Cecelia are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Fred Oesterle, Mrs. O. Nor-

**NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY**  
Estate of Harriett E. Taylor, Deceased.  
Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, January 5th, 1942, is the claim date in the estate of Harriett E. Taylor, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Kankakee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

R. M. BARNES, Executor.  
Lacon, Illinois.  
Jay H. Magoon, Attorney,  
Lacon, Illinois.  
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mandin, Mrs. Leslie Lehnus, Mrs. Carl Marth and Mrs. Will Wagoner of Kankakee and Mrs. Freeman Hanson were guests of Mrs. Louis

Goodnight on Wednesday.

Coach M. H. Hall spent Thursday at the University of Illinois and visited his sister, Mrs. Harry Mc-Mullen at Danville.

Funeral services were held Thursday from the Canada funeral home to William Brassard. The Rev. W. W. Wollarth officiated and burial was in Memorial Park. Milan Astle, Walter Johnson, W. I. Seavey, L. Beas-

ley, Dr. L. P. Bedford and Mrs. Brassard were pallbearers. Mrs. Wollarth and Mrs. Bertha Thomsen sang.

**CATFISH CAUGHT**  
Beardstown, Ill., Nov. 14.—(AP)—Hager, occupying a farm near Beardstown, caught a 14-pound catfish in one of his corn fields. It was the first of its kind in the area. The river overflowed due to heavy rains. Hager found the fish in a pond left when the river receded.

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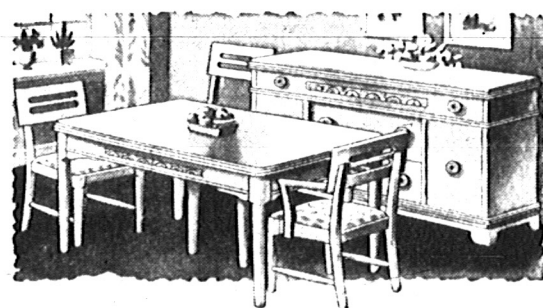
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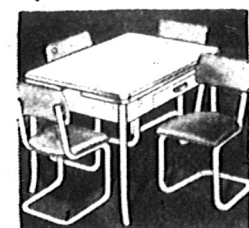
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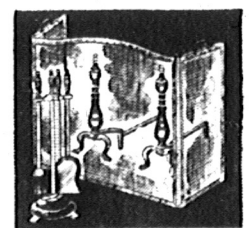
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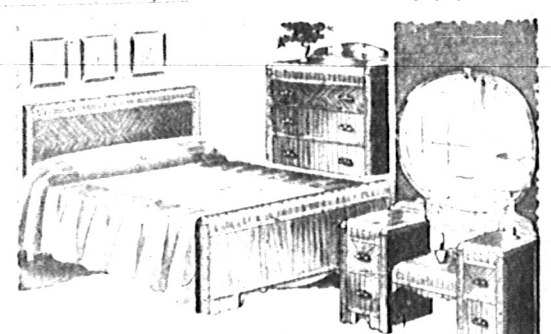
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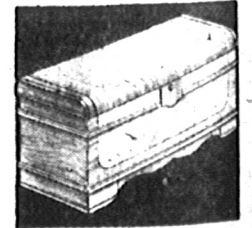
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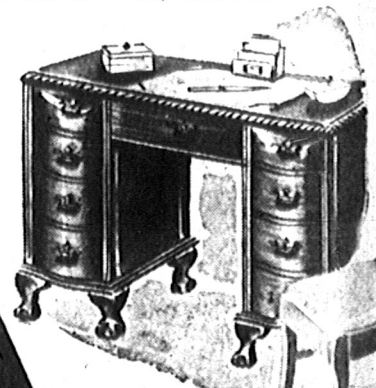
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